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For: GAS CONCENTRATION MEASURING APPARATUS DESIGNED TO
MINIMIZE ERROR COMPONENT CONTAINED IN OUTPUT



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AMENDMENT

In further response to the final Office Action dated 07/18/01, to the Advisory
Action dated 12/18/2001 and in lieu of an Appeal Brief to support the Notice of Appeal
filed January 16, 2002, an RCE is herewith submitted in conjunction with the following
further amendment of the above-identified application:

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel claims 1, 3 and 5-14 without prejudice or disclaimer in favor of new claims

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15-16. (New) A gas concentration measuring apparatus comprising: